



American and English polo players in one of the practice games at Ranelagh, England, preliminary to the international matches. The American team, composed of C. C. Rumsey, Thomas Hitchcock, Jr., J. Watson Webb and Devereux Milburn, defeated a team of English players 10 goals to 4. Copyright, Central News.



Strobeck, near Halbestadt, Germany, has gone chess crazy, due to the legend that the game was invented there by King Gundelin when held captive in the Chess Tower (still standing). People stop work, children their studies, to play chess. Picture shows recess time in a Strobeck school. International.



Chess bees instead of spelling bees rule in Strobeck, the German town that has gone chess mad. Girls, boys, men and women are obsessed with the game and use every spare moment for it. International.



Lady Ribblesdale—her latest picture. She was Miss Ava Willing of Philadelphia and then became the wife of Col. John Jacob Astor. She is shown playing tennis at the Queen's Club, London. Underwood & Underwood.



Children in Strobeck, Germany, on their way to school carrying chess boards as well as school books. The people are so infatuated with the game they play outdoors as well as at home, in the shops, on the street and at school. International.



Ex-King Manuel of Portugal in the clubhouse enclosure at the Longchamps race track in Paris. Picture taken early in May and the latest one of him to reach America. Copyright, Keystone View.